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## Shanghai Municipal Council.

POLICE FORCE,  
(DETECTIVE BRANCH.)

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Sir,  
 About twenty members of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce met at the Guild on the 13th inst to discuss the question of repatriation funds. There were none of the Rebels present. It was decided to send a telegram to the Central Government asking for more funds. Yu Ya Ching also proposed that a sum of money for repatriation purposes be raised among the local merchants and this was agreed to.

A meeting of the rebels who are natives of Hupel was held at No.37 Woo Ching Lane ~~美政里~~ Rue Marcel Tillot on the 13th inst. There was an attendance of about 200 persons. The meeting was somewhat noisy owing to the appearance on the scene of one Woo Mu ~~吳七光~~ who lives at 255 Avenue Joffre. He was accused of being a spy during the 2nd revolution and forcibly expelled from the meeting.

About 200 rebels who are natives of Anhui also held a meeting at No.4 Ling Tuh Lane ~~明德路~~ Rue Eugene Bard on the 13th inst. It was decided to ask the Chamber of Commerce to augment the repatriation funds, to write to General Yang on the same subject, to ignore all notices issued by the Repatriation Board and to refuse to participate in the forthcoming distribution of repatriation funds. The meeting was quite quiet and orderly.

A meeting of rebels who are natives of Kiangsu will be held to-day at 10 a.m. at 365 Siou Tuh Lane ~~修復里~~ when the repatriation scheme will be discussed.

The workmen at the Arsenal will be granted a holiday on the ~~20th~~ inst that being the birthday of President Li.

The transfer of troops from Luoching to Sungtien and vice versa took place on the 13th.

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Your Obedient Servant,

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Chief Detective Inspector.

Captain Superintendent of Police.